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## MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST WORKSHEET

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Election Dist. 6

## NOMINATION FORM

for the

NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES, NATIONAL PARKS SERVICE

SEE INSTRUCTIONS

<b>1. NAME</b>				
COMMON: Gross House				
AND/OR HISTORIC:				
<b>2. LOCATION</b>				
STREET AND NUMBER: North of Mill Point Road, 1/4 mile west of Mapleville				
CITY OR TOWN: Route 2				
STATE Boonsboro		COUNTY: Maryland		
<b>3. CLASSIFICATION</b>				
CATEGORY (Check One)		OWNERSHIP		STATUS
<input type="checkbox"/> District <input type="checkbox"/> Site <input type="checkbox"/> Object		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Building <input type="checkbox"/> Structure <input type="checkbox"/> Public <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Private <input type="checkbox"/> Both		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Occupied <input type="checkbox"/> Unoccupied <input type="checkbox"/> Preservation work in progress
		Public Acquisition: <input type="checkbox"/> In Process <input type="checkbox"/> Being Considered		Yes: <input type="checkbox"/> Restricted <input type="checkbox"/> Unrestricted <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
PRESENT USE (Check One or More as Appropriate)				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Agricultural <input type="checkbox"/> Commercial <input type="checkbox"/> Educational <input type="checkbox"/> Entertainment <input type="checkbox"/> Government <input type="checkbox"/> Industrial <input type="checkbox"/> Military <input type="checkbox"/> Museum <input type="checkbox"/> Park <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Private Residence <input type="checkbox"/> Religious <input type="checkbox"/> Scientific <input type="checkbox"/> Transportation <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Comments _____				
<b>4. OWNER OF PROPERTY</b>				
OWNER'S NAME: Anna M. Gross				
STREET AND NUMBER: Route 2				
CITY OR TOWN: Boonsboro		STATE: Maryland		21713
<b>5. LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION</b>				
COURTHOUSE, REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.: Washington County Court House				
STREET AND NUMBER: West Washington Street				
CITY OR TOWN: Hagerstown		STATE: Maryland		
Title Reference of Current Deed (Book & Pg. #): 261/658				
<b>6. REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS</b>				
TITLE OF SURVEY:				
DATE OF SURVEY: <input type="checkbox"/> Federal <input type="checkbox"/> State <input type="checkbox"/> County <input type="checkbox"/> Local				
DEPOSITORY FOR SURVEY RECORDS:				
STREET AND NUMBER:				
CITY OR TOWN:		STATE:		

## 7. DESCRIPTION

CONDITION	(Check One)					
	<input type="checkbox"/> Excellent	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Good	<input type="checkbox"/> Fair	<input type="checkbox"/> Deteriorated	<input type="checkbox"/> Ruins	<input type="checkbox"/> Unexposed
	(Check One)			(Check One)		
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Altered	<input type="checkbox"/> Unaltered	<input type="checkbox"/> Moved	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Original Site		

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (If known) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

This house is located just north of Mill Point Road about 1/4 mile west of Route 66 at Mapleville in Washington County, Maryland. It is situated on high ground and faces east.

The building is a two-story, three-bay brick structure with a one-bay frame el extending to the rear or west. The walls are set on very low stone foundations with flemish bond brickwork being employed at the front of the house. Other walls display common bond.

Windows appear to be placed at random in the walls. At the front elevations the openings are concentrated at the southern side of the wall. Windows at the first floor level contain nine-over-six light double-hung sashes while second story openings contain six-over-six pane sashes. They are held within frames which show nailed joining.

The main entrance is located in the first bay form the north end of the house. The doorway is quite simple and is topped with a narrow transom. Other entrances are located in the north end wall and in the el.

The roof covering is of sheet metal. It extends for several inches beyond the end walls. A small brick chimney with a corbeled cap rises from inside the south gable end of the house.

A one-story Victorian period porch extends along the front elevation.

The house is in fair to good condition and stands on a tract containing 37.44 acres.

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**B. SIGNIFICANCE**

**PERIOD (Check One or More as Appropriate)**

<input type="checkbox"/> Columbus	<input type="checkbox"/> 16th Century	<input type="checkbox"/> 18th Century	<input type="checkbox"/> 20th Century
<input type="checkbox"/> 15th Century	<input type="checkbox"/> 17th Century	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 19th Century	

**SPECIFIC DATE(S) (If Applicable and Known)**

**AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE (Check One or More as Appropriate)**

<input type="checkbox"/> Aboriginal	<input type="checkbox"/> Education	<input type="checkbox"/> Political	<input type="checkbox"/> Urban Planning
<input type="checkbox"/> Prehistoric	<input type="checkbox"/> Engineering	<input type="checkbox"/> Religion/Philosophy	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Historic	<input type="checkbox"/> Industry	<input type="checkbox"/> Science	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Agriculture	<input type="checkbox"/> Invention	<input type="checkbox"/> Sculpture	_____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Architecture	<input type="checkbox"/> Landscape	<input type="checkbox"/> Social/Humanitarian	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Art	<input type="checkbox"/> Architecture	<input type="checkbox"/> Theater	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Commerce	<input type="checkbox"/> Literature	<input type="checkbox"/> Transportation	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Communications	<input type="checkbox"/> Military		
<input type="checkbox"/> Conservation	<input type="checkbox"/> Music		

**STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE**

The area of significance of this house is its architecture. It appears to have been built during the first half of the 19th century and is an example of Washington County's vernacular building tradition.

Constructed without any particular effort to conform to a specific design or style, the house seems to have been built to answer a need for shelter rather than aesthetic considerations.

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9. MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

10. GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE COORDINATES DEFINING A RECTANGLE LOCATING THE PROPERTY			OR	LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE COORDINATES DEFINING THE CENTER POINT OF A PROPERTY OF LESS THAN TEN ACRES		
CORNER	LATITUDE	LONGITUDE		LATITUDE	LONGITUDE	
	Degrees Minutes Seconds	Degrees Minutes Seconds		Degrees Minutes Seconds	Degrees	Minutes Seconds
NW	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	°	' "
NE	° ' "	° ' "				
SE	° ' "	° ' "				
SW	° ' "	° ' "				

APPROXIMATE ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY: 37.44 acres

Acreage Justification:

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES			
STATE:		COUNTY:	
STATE:		COUNTY:	
STATE:		COUNTY:	
STATE:		COUNTY:	

11. FORM PREPARED BY

NAME AND TITLE:  
Paula Stoner Dickey, Consultant

ORGANIZATION: Washington County Historic Sites Survey

DATE: April, 1974

STREET AND NUMBER:  
Court House Annex

CITY OR TOWN: Hagerstown

STATE: Maryland

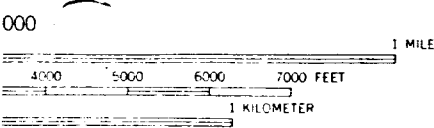
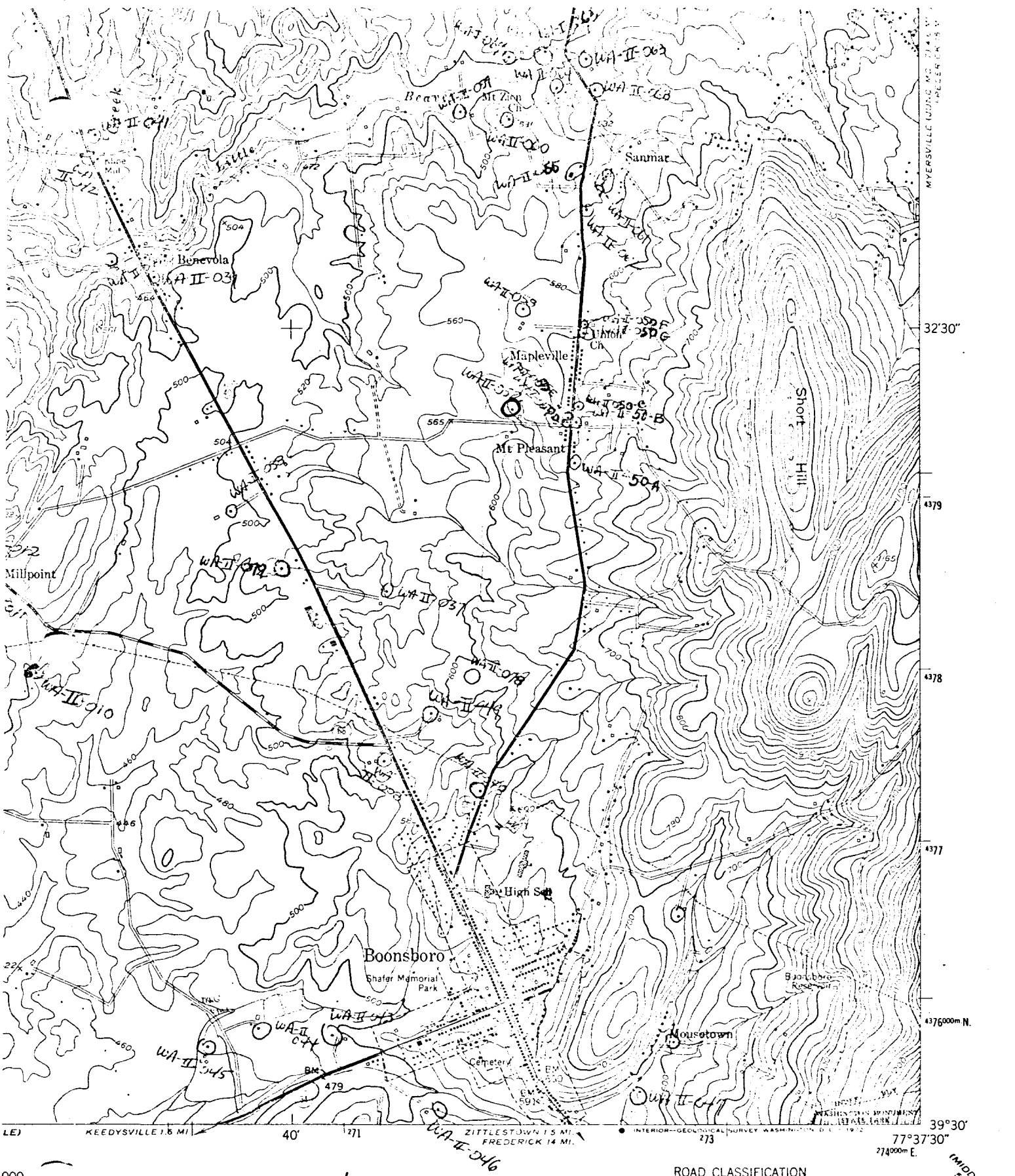
12. State Liaison Officer Review: (Office Use Only)

Significance of this property is:

National ☐ State ☐ Local ☐

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

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AL 20 FEET  
A LEVEL



QUADRANGLE LOCATION

ROAD CLASSIFICATION

- |             |               |                  |       |
|-------------|---------------|------------------|-------|
| Heavy-duty  | 4 LANE 6 LANE | Light duty       | ----- |
| Medium-duty | 4 LANE 6 LANE | Unimproved dirt  | ===== |
| U. S. Route |               | State Route      |       |
|             |               | Interstate Route |       |

FUNKSTOWN, MD.

SW/4 HAGERSTOWN 15' QUADRANGLE  
N3930-W7737.5/7.5

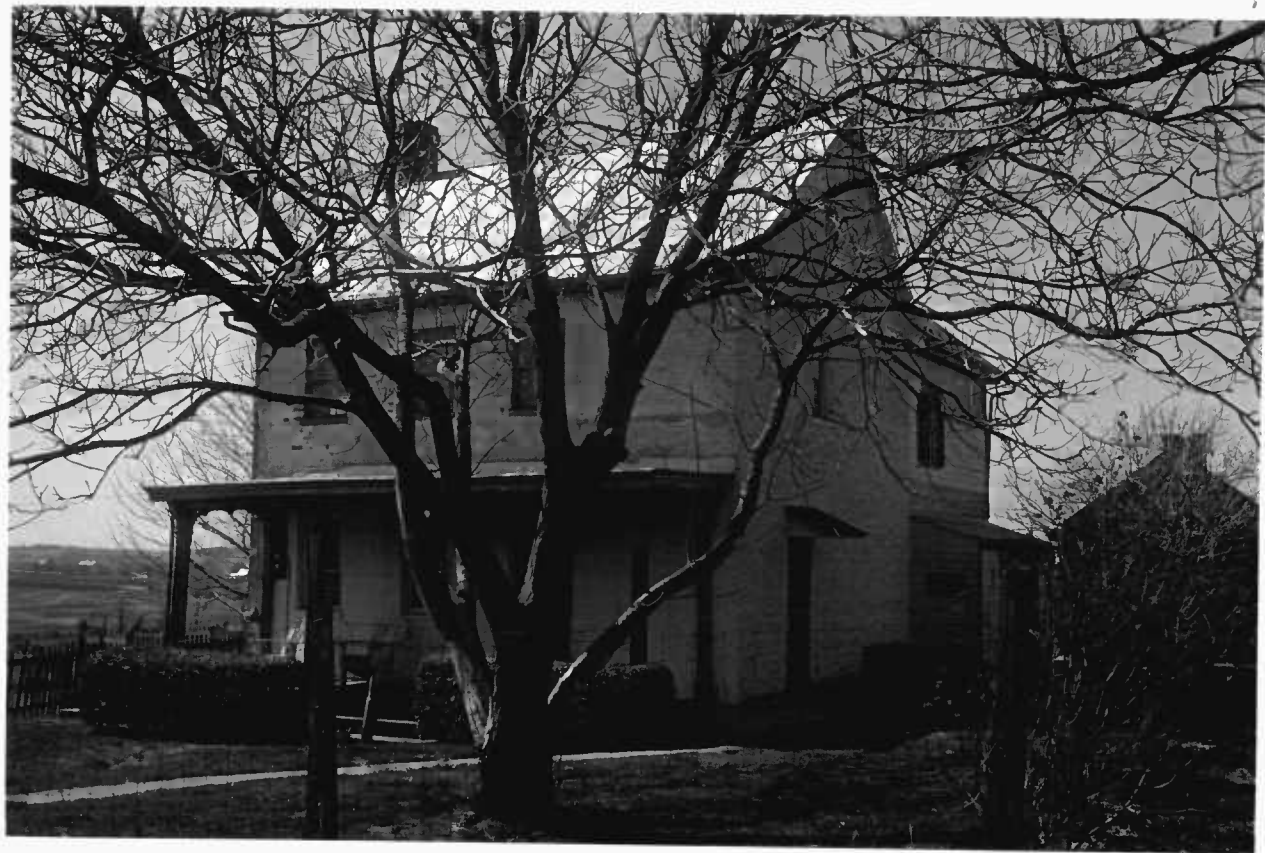


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